(b) Presently, supply of coal to power stations, including those located in Madhya Pradesh, is being governed by Fuel Supply Agreements, which, inter, alia, indicates the Annual Contracted Quantity (ACQ) as allocated by Central Electricity Authority power station-wise for 2009-10. During 2009-10 (upto November, 2009) (provl.) the power plants located in Madhya Pradesh, including Vindhyachal Thermal Power Plant of NTPC, have been supplied 20.374 million tonnes, which is about 99% of proportionate Annual Contracted Quantity (ACQ) of 20.499 million tonnes. An inter-Ministerial Sub Group in the Ministry monitors the supply of coal and stock position in respect of 78 Thermal Power Plants including those located in Madhya Pradesh.

Further, while the coal production in limited to only eight states, consumers are located all over the country and therefore supply of coal from producing states to non-producing states becomes inevitalble. At present, the power stations located in Madhya Pradesh are getting coal supplies from mines located in Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh and nearby areas of Maharashtra.

Assessment of implementation of Dowry Prevention Act

*253. SHRI M.P. ACHUTHAN:
SHRI D. RAJA:

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has made any assessment as to what extent the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 has been implemented in different States;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of the dowry-related cases registered, conviction rate and the women died in such cases during the last three years, State-wise;

(d) whether it is a fact that most of the State Governments have not appointed separate prohibition officers as required under this Act; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and what action has been taken to ensure proper implementation of the law in the States?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA TIRATH): (a) and (b) The implementation of the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 is the responsibility of the respective State Government and UT Administration in the country. The National Commission for Women had organised a convention of Chairpersons of State Commissions for Women, members of civil society organisations and civil servants including Police Officers to discuss the issues relating to this social evil and implementation of the Act. The consensus at this convention was that the present law has not been effective enough to curb this social evil.

(c) The State/UT wise list of cases registered under Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 and Section 304-B of the Indian Penal Code for the period 2005-2007 as per the National Crime Records Bureau is given in the enclosed Statement (*See* below).

(d) and (e) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House. The Government is considering making amendments to the existing Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 with a view to make it more effective.

Statement

(A) Cases Registered (CR), Cases Chargesheeted (CS), Cases Convicted (CV), Persons Arrested (PAR), Persons Chargesheeted (PCS) and Persons Convicted (PCV), under dowry deaths during 2005-2007

Sl. No.	State	2005						2006						2007					
		CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV	CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV	CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
1.	Andhra Pradesh	443	473	118	1280	1329	202	519	426	73	1274	1062	248	613	573	97	1562	1450	252
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3.	Assam	99	61	15	174	99	31	105	74	30	201	144	33	100	72	20	172	139	29
4.	Bihar	1014	680	110	2323	2162	223	1188	749	138	2674	2255	355	1172	1028	167	3265	2512	375
5.	Chhattisgarh	100	91	26	296	289	60	103	99	23	273	267	69	100	106	23	247	241	131
6.	Goa	2	3	9	2	9	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	8	0	0
7.	Gujarat	48	48	10	136	139	16	50	43	3	150	133	5	42	38	4	121	139	11
8.	Haryana	212	185	52	481	502	141	255	215	69	533	514	169	269	238	62	572	581	160
9.	Himachal Pradesh	2	1	1	6	3	1	3	4	1	12	13	1	8	5	1	31	29	3
10.	Jammu and Kashmir	5	7	1	26	23	1	10	8	0	12	13	0	9	7	0	21	21	0
11.	Jharkhand	257	166	71	503	421	118	281	170	60	557	474	140	303	223	92	559	518	131

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
12.	Karnataka	261	233	63	578	538	129	244	213	41	587	521	81	251	189	27	582	620	66
13.	Kerala	21	18	10	31	19	18	25	21	6	39	37	13	27	27	4	40	52	8
14.	Madhya Pradesh	739	715	262	1992	2023	716	764	735	280	2203	2187	663	742	738	279	2127	2120	727
15.	Maharashtra	341	336	34	1379	1315	72	387	374	27	1348	1266	76	436	376	30	1349	1286	89
16.	Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17.	Meghalaya	1	0	0	1	0	0	6	3	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	4	1	0
18.	Mizoram	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19.	Nagaland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20.	Orissa	334	268	35	708	714	72	457	317	44	969	990	123	461	338	31	958	866	175
21.	Punjab	99	89	28	246	248	89	130	106	31	331	259	106	133	119	43	316	291	141
22.	Rajasthan	361	281	119	560	559	256	394	327	127	665	672	357	439	330	118	683	374	215
23.	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24.	Tamil Nadu	215	212	71	492	507	152	187	169	48	457	403	98	208	189	64	503	457	117
25.	Tripura	34	28	7	43	35	4	35	22	10	25	11	8	36	21	11	42	40	23
26.	Uttar Pradesh	1564	1367	678	4523	4233	1900	1798	1464	695	5280	4944	2206	2076	1768	739	7310	6018	2551
27.	Uttarakhand	63	48	14	160	135	43	80	51	18	227	187	66	70	74	28	244	225	81

28.	West Bengal	446	389	94	956	805	173	445	478	57	1058	1039	129	451	459	46	1068	1148	73
	TOTAL STATE	6665	5703	1821	16896	16107	4417	7467	6069	1781	18875	17394	4946	7950	6919	1886	21784	19428	5358
29.	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
30.	Chandigarh	3	4	0	6	9	0	10	9	0	30	24	0	1	2	3	3	7	8
31.	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32.	Daman and Diu	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	3	3	0
33.	Delhi UT	114	95	40	267	227	158	137	134	47	320	309	192	138	123	56	313	272	211
34.	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35.	Puducherry	4	2	0	4	5	0	3	7	2	7	9	6	2	3	1	8	7	3
	TOTAL UT	122	102	40	277	241	158	151	151	49	359	343	198	143	129	60	329	289	222
	TOTAL ALL INDIA	6787	5805	1861	17173	16348	4575	7618	6220	1830	19234	17737	5144	8093	7048	1946	22113	19717	5580

Note: Information on disposal by police and courts includes the information on pending cases from previous years also.

Statement

(B) Cases Registered (CR), Cases Chargesheeted (CS), Cases Convicted (CV), Persons Arrested (PAR), Persons Chargesheeted (PCS) and Persons Convicted (PCV), under dowry prohibition act, 1961 during 2005-07

Sl. No.	State	2005						2006						2007					
		CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV	CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV	CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
1.	Andhra Pradesh	306	242	39	452	394	76	474	342	28	705	515	71	817	591	26	1201	1176	35
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3.	Assam	82	45	8	122	88	15	31	58	19	49	77	19	16	21	13	75	40	23
4.	Bihar	789	606	76	1898	1517	149	909	544	68	1674	1621	156	978	681	106	2295	1896	237
5.	Chhattisgarh	5	5	15	16	16	31	9	9	1	31	30	2	14	10	8	38	38	40
6.	Goa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7.	Gujarat	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	2	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
8.	Haryana	7	3	0	10	10	0	7	6	0	23	21	0	8	6	0	21	20	0
9.	Himachal Pradesh	1	2	0	12	7	0	2	2	0	0	5	0	4	2	0	8	4	0
10.	Jammu and Kashmir	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
11.	Jharkhand	313	187	21	566	579	124	345	244	32	578	432	60	453	274	71	857	706	98

12.	Karnataka	361	245	13	730	615	29	476	353	28	1096	1040	51	517	535	23	1239	1190	52
13.	Kerala	4	2	0	3	1	0	5	5	1	5	6	2	9	3	0	6	4	0
14.	Madhya Pradesh	36	32	23	94	94	35	32	36	15	107	108	36	52	46	15	140	140	28
15.	Maharashtra	23	23	1	75	74	4	55	51	1	178	167	4	45	41	0	141	158	0
16.	Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17.	Meghalaya	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18.	Mizoram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19.	Nagaland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20.	Orissa	446	324	34	1059	1026	81	1394	896	47	1193	1254	62	1460	1108	63	1509	1404	215
21.	Punjab	5	1	0	11	2	0	7	3	0	7	6	0	6	3	0	7	5	0
22.	Rajasthan	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	5	5	4	2	1	1	4	4	2
23.	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24.	Tamil Nadu	193	233	68	512	534	147	81	44	104	193	167	596	368	293	28	971	853	75
25.	Tripura	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26.	Uttar Pradesh	586	424	172	1498	1464	526	628	400	266	1682	1579	843	803	448	203	1612	1512	710
27.	Uttarakhand	2	1	1	4	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	0	2	2	0

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
28.	West Bengal	18	32	6	97	90	16	25	18	10	27	38	16	40	17	5	145	79	15
	Total State	3178	2407	477	7159	6515	1236	4487	3014	624	7556	7074	1933	5595	4081	562	10271	9231	1532
29.	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
30.	Chandigarh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31.	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32.	Daman and Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
33.	Delhi UT	9	7	5	15	14	13	15	21	7	23	12	16	16	11	5	23	22	12
34.	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35.	Puducherry	17	7	2	23	18	7	2	12	2	2	14	2	11	7	0	26	18	0
	TOTAL UT	26	14	7	38	32	20	17	33	9	25	26	18	28	18	5	50	40	12
	TOTAL ALL INDIA	3204	2421	484	7197	6547	1256	4504	3047	633	7581	7100	1951	5623	4099	567	10321	9271	1544

Note: Information on disposal by police and courts includes the information on pending cases from previous years also.